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Art Group: 2652

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Final Office Action mailed March 7, 2006, Applicants herewith respond.

Claims 1-23 are pending in the application. The Final Office Action rejected all pending claims.

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified claims in view of the following Amendments, Remarks and Examiner interview on June 6, 2006.